

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Komeyama et al.

Serial No.:

10/801,692

Group Art Unit:

3679

Filed:

March 17, 2004

Examiner:

Gregory John Binda

For:

CROSS SHAFT JOINT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450

APPLICANTS' INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Sir:

Applicants appreciate the courtesies extended to Applicants' representative during a telephone interview on October 31, 2006.

During the telephone interview:

- No exhibit was shown and no demonstration was conducted.
- 2. No claims were discussed.
- 3. No references were discussed.
- 4. A proposed Examiner's amendment was discussed.
- 5. During the personal interview, the Examiner requested authorization to enter an Examiner's Amendment to amend claim 14 to change "the balance weight" to "a balance weight". The Examiner indicated that the proposed Examiner's Amendment would place the application into condition for allowance.
 - 6. No other pertinent matters were discussed.
 - 7. Results of the Interview:

Applicants' representative authorized entry of the Examiner's proposed Amendment thereby placing claims 1-4, 7-12, 14, and 18-26 into condition for allowance.

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Should the Examiner find the Application to be other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the local telephone number listed below to discuss any other changes deemed necessary in a telephonic or personal interview.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or to credit any overpayment in fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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